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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Rainer LOESCH, et al.  
Serial No. : 09/750,837  
Filed : December 28, 2000  
Title : CALIBRATED SCALE IN THE NANOMETER RANGE FOR  
TECHNICAL DEVICES USED FOR THE HIGH-  
RESOLUTION OR ULTRAHIGH-RESOLUTION IMAGING  
OF STRUCTURES  
Art Unit : 1774  
Examiner : Lawrence Ferguson

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TRANSMITTAL OF AMENDMENT AND REQUEST TO EXTEND

SIR:

Please find an Amendment transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified  
patent application.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the appropriate fee, which is believed to be  
\$930.00 for the three-month extension (the three-month shortened statutory period ending  
June 18, 2003, being extended by three months to September 18, 2003), to Deposit Account  
No. **11-0600**, and is also authorized, as appropriate and/or necessary, to charge any additional  
fees (including any other Rule 136(a) extension fees) or credit any overpayment to Deposit  
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Respectfully submitted,

(By: Richard L. Mayer  
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Dated: Sept. 18, 2003

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